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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 47, line 25 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A molecular formula of an EL material (coumarin pigment) reported in the above paper is as follows:

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 48, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Pt complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

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Replace the paragraph beginning at page 48, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Ir complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

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REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are pending in this application with claims 1, 2, 9, 10, 11, and 12 being independent. No new matter has been added.

Attached is a marked-up version of the changes being made by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."

The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned with any questions at the number set forth below. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted.

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In the specification:

The paragraph beginning at page 47, line 25, has been amended as follows:

A molecular formula of an EL material (coumarin pigment) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 1]]

The paragraph beginning at page 48, line 5, has been amended as follows:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Pt complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 2]]

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The paragraph beginning at page 48, line 12, has been amended as follows:

A molecular formula of an EL material (Ir complex) reported in the above paper is as follows:

[[Chemical Formula 3]]